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**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: William R. Mass et al.

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Title: **USER-ATTACHABLE OR DETACHABLE TELEMETRY MODULE FOR  
MEDICAL DEVICES**

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**AMENDMENT & RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116**

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This Amendment and Response responds to the Final Office Action dated January 17, 2006. Please consider the following amendments and remarks, rendered in appeal brief format. The Examiner is invited to telephone Applicant's representative, Suneel Arora, at 612-373-6951 if the below remarks do not result in allowance of the claims, to discuss whether any agreement can be reached with respect to the claims to avoid an appeal.